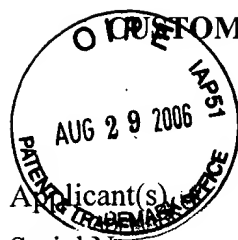


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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This Second Preliminary Amendment and Response to Office Action is
 submitted in the above-identified patent application, and responds to the Final Office Action mailed
 on February 28, 2006, in connection therewith. Applicants had filed a substantially identical
 Preliminary Amendment and Response to Office Action on August 28, 2006, and have discovered
 typographical errors therein which are now corrected in this filing. No fees are believed due with the
 filing of this Second Preliminary Amendment, but the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge
 any other fees due to Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

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